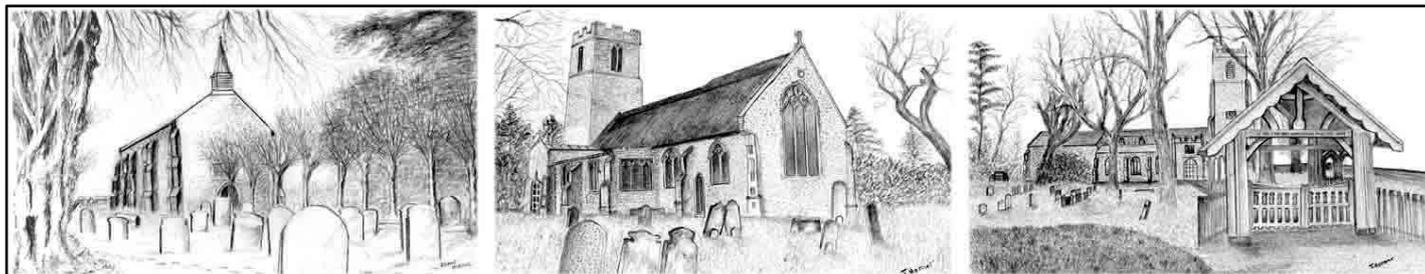


# The NIB

Neatishead, Irstead and Barton Turf Parish Magazine



## THE BENEFICE OF St BENEDICT

The Parishes of Ashmanhaugh, Barton Turf, Beeston St Lawrence, Horning, Irstead and Neatishead

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### **From your Parish Priest**

The older folk among us may remember Boney M having a hit single with the song 'By the rivers of Babylon', which of course was an adaption of Psalm 137. Many will have known the exact reference but most would at least have recognised the story as Biblical in origin, even if Boney M's version was rather more upbeat and up-tempo. Another hit from the time was The Byrds singing the rather more reflective 'Turn! Turn! Turn!', which was also Biblical, adapted from Ecclesiastes 3, although many would not have recognised it as such. On the face of it, the passage speaks contrast. For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven. A time to sow, a time to reap. A time to weep, a time to laugh. A time to keep silence, a time to speak. A time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing – very pertinent in the current pandemic!

But that passage speaks also of balance in God's creation - not so delicate that the slightest perturbation will upset it catastrophically, but sufficiently well-tuned that we will feel the effects of it being off-balance. Many of us remember our earlier cars with a manual choke. Too little – the engine wouldn't start. Too much - you flooded the engine, and got a lot of coughing and spluttering from under the bonnet! On a cold morning you had to get the choke balanced 'just right' until the engine warmed-up. There is a definite sense of un-balance in our current situation as we struggle to restore what we consider to be 'normal' life whilst still coping with the effects of the coronavirus. Whether at home, at work, at church, at the shops, life seems un-balanced in so many ways. We are being told to find and accept a 'new normal'. Some may take this to mean tacit acceptance of the inevitability of the present restrictions – 'just learn to live with it'. Perhaps the real point in adapting to this so-called 'new normal' is, as in the song, to find the things that will help us to restore the balance. We are made in God's image. God has endowed us with creativity, and it is that which will help us find the innovative ways both to combat the pandemic, but more importantly restore the balance in our individual lives and in our communities.

With every blessing,

*David*

## **NIB news**

The Church of England has not yet changed its Covid-19 guidance, which prohibits hand delivering of parish magazines. The NIB will continue to be available on the churches' websites and the Parish Council websites as a downloadable soft copy. However, from September we will trial making paper copies available at certain locations in our villages. **Anyone taking one of these copies does so at their own risk.**

*The NIB Team*

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Thank you to the owners of these properties for their co-operation in making these sites available. If you find a dispenser empty please let one of the editorial team know and we will refill them. We are going to learn by experience how many are needed, so bear with us if we underestimate the high demand!

*Alan Smith, NIB Deputy Editor*

## **From the NIB Churchwardens**

On **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September** there will be the annual Norfolk Churches Trust sponsored cycle ride. Your support of those riding or walking in aid of our parish churches and the Trust would be especially appreciated in these difficult and challenging times when charitable income has been so significantly reduced. We very much hope that it won't be too long before we can move towards what might be recognised as something approaching our previously established pattern of worship but unfortunately not as yet. May we on your behalf wish David and Angela well as they move and settle into the Benefice's new Rectory at No 12 Pinewood Drive, Horning. Their contact details will remain the same. Please don't hesitate to contact us as your Church Wardens if we can be of any assistance. Do take good care of yourselves and keep safe.

*The NIB Parish Churchwardens*

## **New Victory Hall News**

The New Victory Hall has reopened with lots of Covid-19 measures in place as safety is our first priority. This does make things different in several ways but only the things we are all having to get used to generally as we find the 'new normal' about how we can continue to go about life safely despite Covid-19. Several groups returned in August and more have plans to return in September. Please check directly with the clubs or groups for their latest information. Unfortunately, some groups, mainly those with music or performance activities, cannot resume yet but we will be ready to welcome them back at NVH in due course.

The Farmers' Market took place on 8<sup>th</sup> August and was well supported by customers old and new as well as our stall holders. Yes, we did have coffees, yummy bacon rolls and contactless payments. Thanks to Helen our 'chef' and Dolly's team of volunteers. The next market is on **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September**, 9am to 12 noon so do come along and pay a visit. Village Screen is also returning on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September** - see notice in August edition of the NIB.

The Trustees meet regularly to keep all arrangements at the NVH under review including finances. Fortunately, the hall has contingency reserves and Trustees are now using these to meet the shortfall between our operating costs and hire income. A government grant also helped during the actual closure period. For the time being, I can assure you the situation at NVH is manageable and sound despite the current constraints. Please stay safe and visit the NVH when you can.

*Doreen Dean*

## **Winners – 200 Club Draw**

£50, J Menges - £10, R & C Penstone-Smith - £5, S Drake

### **Poor's or Fuel Allotment Charity**

The above charity will have a vacancy at the end of the year for a Clerk/Secretary. If you are interested in applying please write to me at Saffrons, Threehammer Common, Neatishead, NR12 8BP, or email me at the address below in the first instance giving your name, address and telephone number. All applications will be dealt with in strict confidence. If you are a recipient please do not apply. The trustees decision will be final.

*Pat Ullman, Clerk to the Trustees, [royullman@yahoo.com](mailto:royullman@yahoo.com)*

### **Gardening Club and Village Show, Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September**

The show goes on but in a different format and shortened time scale. Set up will be from 9am until 10am with public viewing from 10am until 11.30am. There will be no requirement for entry forms and more details are in the schedule, available from me, either by phone for a printed copy, or via email. Please support this event in whatever way you can! Unfortunately, we have had to cancel the September meeting. Hopefully, by the time of the October NIB we will be able to plan ahead with more certainty.

*Jane King, 630002, [janeelizabethking@hotmail.com](mailto:janeelizabethking@hotmail.com)*

### **Macmillan Coffee Morning**

The Macmillan Coffee Morning will take place on **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September**, 9.30am -12 noon at the New Victory Hall.

**Keeping it Simple, Keeping you Safe:** We are taking a different approach to the annual Macmillan Coffee Morning this year in that although we shall still be providing refreshments as usual, there will be fewer stalls. To enable social distancing as well as maintaining a friendly atmosphere, there will be the Grand Raffle plus the opportunity to buy cakes, produce and plants. Please note, we are starting earlier to hopefully spread your arrival times over a longer period to avoid peaks. We do hope to see you there.

*Cheryl Pell, 536325 and Ruth Dockerty, 631102*

### **Neatishead White Horse Bowls Club – Three Hammer Common**

This has been the most bizarre bowls season. It has been like an episode of the 'Twilight Zone' We managed to compile a work plan allowing us to implement some long overdue maintenance work keeping to Covid-19 guidelines. The club captain and his wife, Bernie and Joy Morter, hosted a Covid-19 facemask and distancing bring your own food meet up, in their garden early in August. Club members have been having restrictive roll ups on Tuesday and Saturday afternoons. Four friendly matches with Horning Bowls Club have been played. The AGM was held on 25<sup>th</sup> August. This season's closing date is 12<sup>th</sup> September 2020. For more information contact Bernie Morter (630505) or me.

*Cathy Smith, 630602 or 07810 586551, [smithcomptoncroft@btinternet.com](mailto:smithcomptoncroft@btinternet.com)*

### **Knit and Stitch**

Although our Village Show, on **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September**, is being run on slightly different lines than previously, there are plenty of classes to enter and the Handicraft Section has been expanded considerably so we look forward to a grand display of work - we know some of you in our community are very talented - so why not let others see too. Full details and a schedule can be obtained through the Gardening Club or from me. For our regular Knit and Stitch meetings we are taking these a month at a time while we get used to the 'new normal'. We met during August on our usual days of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at the NVH, so this means that we will be meeting on **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September** from 7.15 - 8.45pm. If you would like to join us and are not on my current mailing list, do please get in touch with me by phone or email; this is so I have an idea of numbers for the evening. For the moment it will help if you could bring along your own projects to do, but we can always offer help and advice, or maybe you would just like to come for a chat and see what we get up to! If you need a small project to start with, we still need knitted or crocheted squares for the alternative Christmas Tree we are creating for the festive season - you may remember I mentioned this in NIB some while ago - it will happen!

*Claire Penstone-Smith, 630580, [claireps@btinternet.com](mailto:claireps@btinternet.com)*

## **VJ Day 15<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Surrender of Japanese Imperial Forces**

How did you commemorate VJ Day? Did you commemorate VJ Day?

In King Street Lane, Neatishead, we commemorated with a residents' Lane Party, complete with bunting, flags, afternoon tea and 50's music (social distancing observed). Many will wonder why we did this. This date in 1945 finally marked the end of World War II but many people, even today still consider 8<sup>th</sup> May as the day to celebrate. However, for families like mine and thousands of others, our fathers, uncles and grandfathers as well as civilian internees were under sentence of death, having been forced to work like slaves during three and a half years of captivity and endure what no man on earth should have had to do, along the Thai Burma railway, in Japan and in neighbouring islands. With two atomic bombs dropped on Hiroshima (6<sup>th</sup> August) and Nagasaki (9<sup>th</sup> August) Japan surrendered on 15<sup>th</sup> August although the surrender document was not signed until 2<sup>nd</sup> September and many prisoners did not return home until October 1945 and early 1946. Over the years these veterans have become known as The Forgotten Army.

*Pauline Simpson*, Chaplain to Far East Prisoners of War and National Secretary / Welfare Officer, 630674, [pauline761@btinternet.com](mailto:pauline761@btinternet.com)

## **Neatishead, Irstead & Barton Turf Community Heritage Group**

Because of the current situation, sadly another date has passed that we have not been able to commemorate across the villages as we would have wished. We know there are local families whose relatives were caught up in this conflict. With much research having brought forth material from our parishes about those involved in the European conflict, we would like to extend this to include stories from the Far East. Please do get in touch with either Pauline or myself, however little information you have, so that we are able to enhance our community records and remember those 'who gave their tomorrow so that we could have our today'.

*Claire Penstone-Smith*, 630580, [claireps@btinternet.com](mailto:claireps@btinternet.com)

## **Wildlife Notes**

During the month of August many birders turn their attention to butterflies and dragonflies as many adult birds hide away for their annual moult. On the 7<sup>th</sup> August I was especially pleased to hear of a new butterfly species for the area when I was sent some photos taken at Alderfen of a Silver-Washed Fritillary, one of two spotted by the observer. Silver-Washed Fritillaries are by some way the largest of the many species of fritillary found in the UK and are generally a woodland species found in the southern part of Britain. Like all fritillaries they are largely orange coloured on the upper wings but they get their name from some light-coloured streaks on the underwings. They have been spreading through Norfolk in the last decade having been initially found breeding at Holt country park and Foxley wood and more recently at Wheatfen. They especially like a sunny glade in a wood and have a graceful gliding type of flight typical of larger butterflies. Adults will spend time on tree tops drinking aphid honeydew from the leaves but will often descend to feed on brambles and thistles. They have a courtship flight, known as an aerial dance, where the male flies under the female and then up in front of her head as she flies along, repeating the performance many times so that they spiral up into the air together. Later in the summer many of the adults disperse and can be seen in new locations hence their brief appearance at Alderfen, as sadly they were nowhere to be seen when I visited two days later. Like many species of fritillary, the caterpillars feed on violets although the eggs are laid individually in cracks on the bark at the bottom of trees where the caterpillar over winters before crawling down to locate their food plant in spring. There is an unusual dark form of the female (known as Valezina) caused by a genetic aberration which is only found in this country in an area of the south coast in Devon. The upperwings have a dark green sheen whilst the underwings are pink tinged. These females have a distinct disadvantage over their normal coloured sisters as they are less attractive to the male butterflies.

Enjoy the late butterflies and dragonflies, especially the Migrant Hawker which is now on the wing.

*Jerry Simpson*, 630674, [simpsonj24@btinternet.com](mailto:simpsonj24@btinternet.com)

## **NABS**

The performing arts have taken a huge hit from Covid-19 and NABS programme continues to suffer. The murder mystery scheduled for 3<sup>rd</sup> October has been cancelled but we continue to keep Words and Music... Live...The Sequel (WAML2) on the calendar for **27<sup>th</sup> March 2021**. On a positive note, we will be holding our AGM in the NVH at 8pm on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September**. As you will know, the Trustees of the NVH have followed government and public health advice with regard to its reopening and as hall users NABS has additional responsibilities to ensure its cleanliness and the safety of attendees, both immediately before and after use. Seats will be set out 2 metres apart so it is essential that you book a space to ensure we don't exceed maximum numbers. With this peace of mind we hope to see members of the public as well as many members. If you have not yet joined us but feel you have something to offer in any relevant capacity (technical or artistic as well as treading the boards), we encourage you to attend the meeting.

*Rachel Clayton, 630009*

## **Wherry Yacht Charter Charitable Trust Update**

Although all our scheduled sailings have had to be cancelled this year, we were delighted at the end of July to be able to take out our first charter party. They were a family group who hired two of our wherries, with skippers, for a cruise through the northern rivers. Then, at the start of August, we were able to take the Rt Revd Graham Usher, Bishop of Norwich from South Walsham staithe to St Benet's Abbey for the annual open-air service. The service actually took place a week earlier than originally planned for this year and was for a handful of invited attendees only, due to the current Covid-19 restrictions. It was wonderful that the traditional service could go ahead, but disappointing that neither the public, nor our usual WYC passengers, could be there this time.

The annual service takes place at St Benet's Abbey because King Henry VIII gave the Abbot of St Benet's the position of Bishop of Norwich, in return for land owned by Norwich Cathedral. Although the site is now a ruin, the abbey was never formally dissolved, so to this day the Bishop of Norwich is also the Abbot of St Benet's.

WYC first transported the Bishop of Norwich to St Benet's Abbey for the open-air service in 1976 and has been doing so regularly ever since. Despite varying weather conditions, the Bishop has always been delivered on time (or nearly!). A selection of different wherries has been used over that period, but that first trip, like this year, was fittingly on our wherry yacht Olive. Pleasure wherry Hathor has featured quite often and in 2017 the Bishop's party travelled aboard our largest and youngest (at a mere 93 years) wherry, Ardea, accompanied by wherry yacht Norada. At that time it was our former WYC Patron, the Rt Revd. Graham James who was Bishop of Norwich and Abbot of St Benet's.

WYC is pleased to announce that the new Bishop of Norwich, the Rt Revd. Graham Usher has recently agreed to become the new Patron of WYC. Bishop Graham said: "I am honoured and delighted to become a Patron of the Wherry Yacht Charter, building on the work of my predecessor in this area. Jesus spoke from a boat to the listening crowds and taught about the water of life. I hope that I will be able to encourage and enable others to enjoy and experience the spiritual connection that can be found through exploring the waters and landscape of the Norfolk Broads on one of your five beautiful wherries."

WYC is happy to accept charter bookings until the end of September. If you would like to support our work please become a Friend of WYC by emailing [pam.taylor@wherryyachtcharter.org](mailto:pam.taylor@wherryyachtcharter.org).

**From the Registers - St Michael & All Angels Barton Turf - 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2020**  
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## Diary Dates for September 2020

Saturday	5 <sup>th</sup>	10-11.30am	Village Show NVH
Sunday	6 <sup>th</sup>		Classic Car Show, Wroxham Barns WBV Rotary Club
Monday	7 <sup>th</sup>	7 for 7.30pm	Village Screen 'Military Wives' (2019) comedy 112mins, NVH
Wednesday	9 <sup>th</sup>	7.15-8.45pm	Knit & Stitch, Community Room, NVH
Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup>	9-12noon	Farmers' Market, NVH
	12 <sup>th</sup>		Sponsored Cycle Ride Norfolk Churches Trust
	12 <sup>th</sup>		Neatishead White Horse Bowls Club season ends
Thursday	17 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	NABS AGM, NVH
Tuesday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	7.15-8.45pm	Knit & Stitch, Community Room, NVH
Friday	25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30-12noon	Macmillan Annual Coffee Morning, NVH

## Future Dates

Saturday	5 <sup>th</sup>	December	Christmas Fair, NVH
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Monday		Horning
Tuesday		Ashmanhaugh
Wednesday	Irstead (said Communion from 10am)	Neatishead (said Communion from 4pm)
Thursday	Barton Turf	
Friday	Horning (said Communion from 11am)	
Saturday	Ashmanhaugh (said Communion from 10am)	Irstead

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